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MUCH INTEREST IN TONIGHT'S MEETING

Monday was "off night" in a way, as the evangelists took a rest-up so as to be in good shape for a rousing good meeting tonight.

Nevertheless the meeting in the opera house was one of deep interest and the attendance was good, considering that it was the first night of the week with the regular evangelistic force taking a much-needed rest and the busy house-wite tired out from the rigorous duties of wash day.

The chorus opened the meeting under the direction of Prof. Davies and some of the good, old favorite selections were rendered with much warmth and enthusiasm. The song service was most highly enjoyed by all present, as the singers did their very best and brought forth wonderful results.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Eveler of the Lutheran church, and Rev. Davies of the Methodist church read a scripture lesson.

Rev. Alban of the United Brethren church preached a most powerful and practical sermon from the subject, "Give God a chance," and in his discourse Rev. Alban brought out very clearly and forcibly the salient points to be deducted naturally along this line of thought. In summing up he said that if you, or we fail to give God a chance, we'll all be sorry in the end, and on the other hand if we do give Him a chance we'll receive the heavenly blessing which cometh only at His own hand. Rev. Alban's illustrations were very plain, simple, and easily understood, and could not fail of being comprehended by all who desired to profit thereby.

Rev. Davies gave the invitation to those wishing to turn from the worldly to the better life and four persons, as Evangelist Billy Sunday expresses it, "Took the Sawdust Trail" and marched right up in front of the large audience. Rev. McDonald offered the closing prayer.

This evening there will be a rousing meeting in the opera house at which will be Evangelists Porter, Spade and McCormick, and to use a slangey phrase, "there will sure be somethin' doin'" every minute of the time.

This evening the chorus will be led by Rev. Hughes of the Christian church. Prof. Welsh may be back soon, but local musicians will look after the singing until he returns.

Wednesday afternoon neighborhood prayer meetings will be held at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd, East Monessen;- Mr. and Mrs. Jones, 33 Knox avenue; and Mrs. Edith Cawley of Ninth and Morgan. Everybody go tonight and hear and see and feel that it is good to be there.

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LITTLE CHILD KILLED ON RAILROAD TRACK

At Cincinnati Patch, near Monongahela, Sunday afternoon a P. R. R. engineer espied a little child standing on the tracks ahead of his on-rushing engine, laughing and waving its tiny hands gleefully. Steam was shut off and every effort made to stop the engine, but it was too late. Mrs. August Viara and seven children of Monongahela had started to visit relatives at Cincinnati Patch, going by way of the railroad, and unknown to the mother the little son Henry, aged two years, had stopped, along the tracks to play. His life was crushed out by the ponderous wheels.

DEATH OF MR. AND MRS. NALE'S BABY

A letter received in Monessen yesterday reads: "Clarksburg, W. Va. Born, Friday, Feb. 16th 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Nale, a baby boy, who God has taken to live with Him." It will be remembered that Mr. and Mrs. Nale at one time were residents of Monessen, and their many friends will be grieved to hear of their misfortune.

Long Still in Hospital

The condition of S. K. Long, who is a patient in the Presbyterian hospital, Pittsburgh, remains about the same. Mr. Long is undergoing a course of rigid treatment, but the improvement is not as great as he had expected. No time is set for his return home.

OLYMPIC THEATRE'S FINE ATTRACTIONS

As an opening week's show the Olympic is offering a very entertaining bill of four acts and moving pictures. Mae Howell in character singing has an excellent act which was highly appreciated by the many first nighters. George Dawn introduces some novelties in the way of musical instruments and is very clever in handling them. Clarke and Temple offer an amusing comedy sketch and the bill is closed by Harmon and James, introducing many changes of costume and a review on the suffragette question "If woman were man." Matinees will be given daily at 2.30.

D. W. Fleming and Hector O'Neil were Braddock visitors last evening

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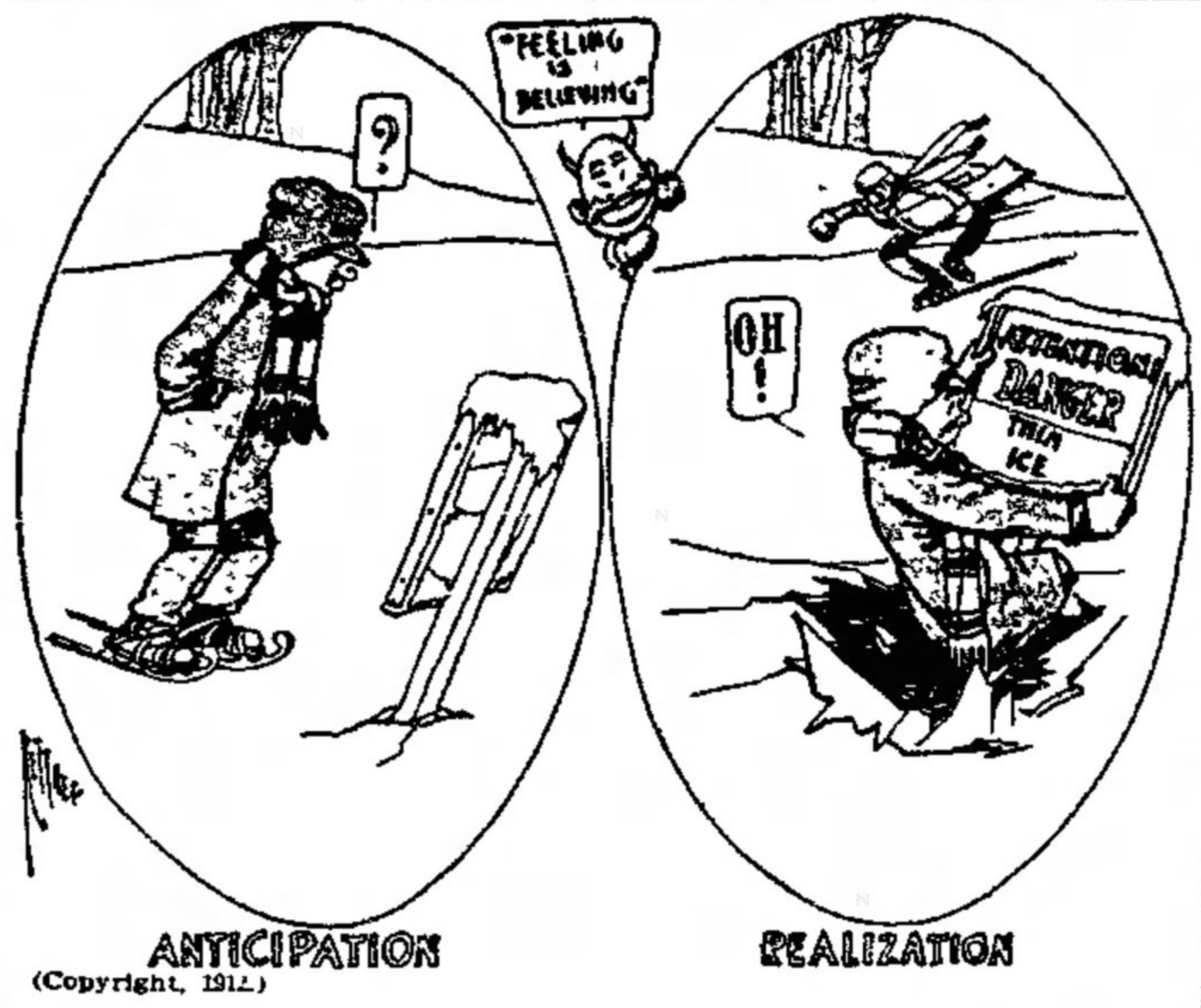

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MONESSEN HAS BRIGHT PROSPECTS FOR MANY NEW AUTOMOBILES

The season of 1912 promises to be a great one in Monessen for automobiles. Several new ones have come to town, others have been retouched and look like new and there are oceans of prospects for salesmen. Supt. George Nash will this season pass through the streets with a new Car ter Car and they do say it is one of the most classy cars to be seen. Bert Stephens comes to the front with a Maxwell and he is just waiting for the weather to become favorable. Mike Giba is the owner of a new Cadillac. Dr. W. D. Hunter has also brought to town a new 1912 Cadillac, equipped up with all the modern appliances, self starter, electric lights etc. George H. Stevens has had his Lion car completely overhauled and repainted a bright red and when he comes out in the spring he will cut a dash

Aside from this number of acquisitions there are some ripe prospects in town. Editor C. L. Schuck has been so active with the good roads movement the past year that he has the fever and has it in the most malignant form. The salesman who puts up the right proposition to him will get an order. H. Dallas McCabe was seen on the train the other evening with an automobile catalogue in his hand. His nose was down on the page and he was evidently studying out some method of pumping up a tire. Jesse Hancock has been riding around with Eli Wolf so much that he really believes he ought to have a machine of his own. He will buy one some day. Over at the other bank is J. Howard Kelly who allowed himself to be interviewed this year for the first time. Ed Jeffries is studying the different makes and he too will grab up a car one of these days. C. W. Greer likes the sport but he says "Packard or Peerless for me" and he has decided not to buy until he can get a real machine. Up along the street car line a man by the name of John Irons lives. John says: "The days of the 'hoss' have gone by I too must get into the procession and move along, and it will not be suprising if some smooth fellow delivers him a machine this spring.

MURDER COMMITTED AT A CHRISTENING

Peter Repsak of Fayette City died this morning in the McKeesport hospital, from a bullet wound received in a fight at a christening in the home of John Drushia, Sunday night. John Alekoich the supposed murderer has been captured and is being held on a charge of murder.

UNCONSCIOUS FROM MIXING HIS DRINKS

Frank Petrecho a foreigner about 23 years of ago was found in a stupor near the Monessen-Charleroi bridge yesterday and brought to the lockup here in the patrol wagon. His condition was such that a doctor was called and it was over three hours before he exhibited any outward signs of life. It seems he had been drinking alcohol and pop — about six bottles of the latter —and the effects were more than he was able to stand. He was given a fine of $10 and costs.

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OPENING OF TWO NEW PICTURE HOUSES

The old Coyle theatre, of Charleroi is being made-over into a "new" moving picture house and the opening will take place Saturday afternoon. Workmen are busy and the building is expected to be in ship-shape for opening at the proper time. It will be known as the "Coyle New Model Nickel Photoplay Exposition."

At Monongahela the new Anton theatre was opened Saturday with four vaudeville numbers and the pictures. The house was packed to the doors.

KILLED FIRST DAY HE ENTERED MINE

Saturday was the first day Frank Fuscisi ever worked inside a coal mine. He went to work at Smith's mine at Catsburg and touching an electric wire was instantly killed. He was 23 years of age.

The Bijou

Were you ever tricked into happiness? Evidently you haven't, and since cases of this kind are very seldom you will not regret seeing this picture at the Bijou today, "Tricked Into Happiness." "The Swimming Party" is an interesting and entertaining descriptive picture and is one of the latest releases in this line. Another entertaining descriptive picture is "The Brockton Fair and Horse Show" Tomorrow "Niagara Falls in winter."

DEATH RECORD

J. C. West, of Youngstown, Pa., an uncle of Ed Keenan of the Sheetz Hotel, died Sunday night of nervous debility, at an advanced age. Deceased was well and favorably known in Westmoreland county, having at one time served as a commissioner and he had a host of friends through out the neighborhood. The funeral was held today, Tuesday, at the old home, and the services were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Keenan.

Miss Anna Karlowsky is a McKeesport caller this afternoon.

MAN MISTAKES GASOLINE FOR LIQUOR

"Didn t know it was loaded," and "Got the wrong bottle" have both played important parts in many fatalities. They have also brought about many disappointments and no doubt when Issac Jacobson went to take a drink of whisky out of a bottle Sunday night and saw the flames shoot up he was madly disappointed as well as becoming sorely afflicted. Issac is a Finn who resides on Chestnut street, and early last Sunday evening his appetite craved a little of the essence that cheers and he took out of the "sideboard" what he thought was a flask of whiskey but it happened to be gasoline. He was perched under a gas light and no sooner had he taken out the cork and upside-downed the bottle for the first swig, than the fumes of he gasoline came in contact with the gas light. Issac didn't start off like an automobile well filled with gasoline would, but he caught fire and his face was instantly a mass of flames. His whiskers, his eyebrows and every bit of hair on his head was singed and the flesh came in for a goodly stewing. Isaac looked like a piece of rare beefsteak as he rushed off to the doctor's office and today he is carrying around one of the sorest faces of any man in town. The moral is—"be sure you're in the right pew."

Star Theatre

Star theatre goers were treated to some excellent acts last evening to begin the week. George Wichman, The Clay Molder, makes some difficult models of famous men in an artistic manner. Irene Casedy sings well and gives a good impersonation of a little boy. Billy Gladstone and Ethel Vaughn, singing, talking and dancing artists, pleased, especially the dancing which was very clever. A fitting close to a strong bill was the Three Entertainers, undoubtedly one of the best acts of its kind ever seen here Their playing and singing were excellent as were their dancing and talking sketches.

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Only daily paper published in Westmoreland county in the upper section of the Monongahela valley.

The Cause the Wherefor

Says the Canonsburg Notes:—"The Monessen Independent having expressed the opinion that the ministers of the town should take a hand in going after the evils of the community and join in the work of cleaning up the town, the Monongahela Times comes back as follows:

"Why the ministers any more than any other law abiding citizens? In fact, why the ministers any more than the officers of the law, who have sworn to see that the laws of the commonwealth are executed, but who in many cases wink at such violations as illegal liquor selling? It is about time for those who are elected to serve as peace officers attend to that duty, report all clubs and other places where liquors are sold, to court, and then receive instructions from a higher authority as to what shall be done in such cases. Ministers have much to do, and while they are always ready and willing to do more than their share in any movement looking toward the betterment of social conditions, they should not be called upon to lead where it is the plain duty of the officers of the law to do so."

Why shouldn't they? They done it at Jeannette, they done it at Duquesne and now they are doing it at California. It is right along their line of work and they are not shirking their duty, even in Monessen, and the authorities are working hand in hand with them. The ministry is called upon to lead insofar only as they see it their duty to do so. At Jeannette the ministers saw their duty and did it, and the result is such as to bring to them deserved praise, and no harm can come anywhere where they take the lead for the right. There is no fight for leadership there is or should be no jealousy between the ministry and the minions of the law. Just a plain, honest, consistent conscientious pulling together for the good of humanity and the betterment of surroundings.—That is all.

Why So Many Shootings?

Existing laws against the carrying of concealed weapons should be more rigidly enforced. Under ordinary conditions there is no good reason why any citizen, either foreigner or naturalized, in Monessen, or Westmoreland county, for that matter, should go about with a loaded revolver sticking out of his hip pocket. We have our laws, and we have men elected, appointed and paid to administer the laws, and a man who ever travels about among his followmen armed and ready to shoot at the least provocation cannot rightfully be called a law-abiding citizen. Such a man bears watching himself, unless he can give a very plausible reason therefor. Of course there are extenuating circumstances, and in such cases the proper procedure is to make a plain statement of facts before the proper authorities and get a special permit for protection for such length of time as may be deemed practical or necessary. Otherwise the law on carrying concealed weapons should be as nearly enforced is the officials find it possible and practical so to do.

The Erie Times thinks, and even goes so far as to say that the new fangled dances so much tabooed of late aren't a bit worse than the old "hug waltz," but they give society an excuse for dance hall manners.

American Tourists in Lead.

Americans now lead in the number of tourists in Europe during the summer. The Englishmen formerly held this distinction

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Mrs. Penfield—"My husband has found a way by which he says I am of the greatest help to him in his literary work" Mrs Hillaire—"How nice that must be for you, my dear! But how are you able to do it?" Mrs Penfield—"As soon as I see him at his desk, I go into another room and keep perfectly quiet until he has finished."—Puck

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WANTED—Girl for general house work. Family of two. Good wages. Apply Brenner's Jewelry store. 18-tf

GIRL WANTED—We want a good, reliable, courteous girl as assistant, at the Philedelphia candy kitchen, Donner avenue. 18 tf

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FOR RENT—French hall, Third street. Inquire of Jean Martin or Eli Tueche. 11 tf

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Where He Got The Pictures

By Adele Mendel

"Where did you get that photo?" almost shouted Bob.

"What's it to you?" retorted Bill.

"A great deal. I can't believe she gave it to you."

"Which one do you mean?"

"That one in the corner. Why, there's another and another. It's preposterous. It's disgraceful of Lucille to distribute her pictures around to grace another fellow's college room."

"Their mine. I decline to explain when, where and how I came in possession of them," said Bill, thinking he'd have some fun with jealous, suspicious Bob.

"If you won't tell, Lucille will."

"Lucille," commenced Bob, the next time they met. "Promise to tell me the honest, sober, naked truth, and nothing but the truth."

"Don't couple my name with a falsehood. Do you think I shade the truth when I confess you're the only fellow in the world for me?"

"Evidently not when other chaps have your pictures."

"My pictures? You must have been seeing spooks."

"Bill Thornton——"

"Who's Bill Thornton?" interrupted Lucille.

"Are you in the habit of presenting your fac-simile to young men whom you do not even know?"

"Are you sure he has my picture?"

"Not only one, but three. I saw them encased in gold frames in his room in company with a lot of cheap song and dance artists' pictures."

"Now deny it," added Bob in an exasperated tone.

"Indeed not. If you doubt my veracity in that manner you need never speak to me again. I'll give my picture to whom I please. Kindly return those I gave you."

For all her haughty indifferent manner, Lucille was miserable after Bob's departure. When her best friend made her appearance, she found a dejected woebegone-looking girl.

"Where Did You Get That Photo?"

"Can't you come to dinner tonight?" began Edna. "I want you to meet my cousin, Bill Thornton."

"Of course I will," answered Lucille with alacrity. "It's the height of my ambition to know him."

"But I thought Bob and you—"

"Don't think so much, Edna. Introduce me to Bill Thornton and I'll be your friend for life."

When Thornton met Lucille he was dumfounded to recognize the original of the pictures.

"Were you ever at Mackinic?" he asked.

"Yes, last summer. Did you see me there? How strange I don't remember you," answered Lucille.

"I was there only a few hours. While trying to get a snapshot of the island from the roof of one of the cottages you came along and I have some dandy pictures of you."

"You have?" Will you give them to me?"

"If you insist, on one condition, and that is that you will never divulge to Bob how I procured those photos."

"Thank you. A little mystery now and then won't hurt the best of men." laughed Lucille

Bob was overjoyed at receiving a message from his sweetheart.

"Enclosed find pictures," she wrote, "which were sent to me this morning. As you value my everlasting love, never, never inquire how Bill Thornton came in possession of them. Your own truthful Lucille."

"By Joe," ejaculated Bob. I'll have to let well enough alone. Suppose Lucille should question me as to where all the pictures I had taken were distributed."

Now They Don't Speak.

"Ever see a bat close up?" asked Mildred of Arthur.

"No, and I've never been on one, either, so there!" he returned indignantly.

"Well, don't get peeved. I refer to the flying kind, that you hear at night, that hum so loudly, you know, as they flit among the trees. I would like to see one at close range, but I wouldn't like to have one alight on my head."

"Why?" asked Arthur, innocently.

"Because I understand if one alights in one's hair it gets so inextricably wound up in it that one would have to have all her hair cut off to release him."

"H—mmm, but what about the rater—wouldn't there be a battle?"

Which terminated a summer friendship that had promised to be something of serious moment to both.

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Chuck Roast	12c	Stewing Lamb	7c
Boiling meat	8c and 10c	Skinned hams	14c
Tenderloin Steak	15c	Callie Hams	11c
Sirloin Steak	15c	Regular Hams	14c
Round Steak	15c	Bacon	16c
Fresh pork shoulder	11c	3 lb. bucket lard	35c
Fresh Hams	15c	5 lb. bucket lard	55c
Pork Loin	12½c	50 lb. can lard	$5.50
All Pork Sausage	12½	Home dressed chickens	22c
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. W. L. Forster is a Pittsburgh visitor today.

Charles Freeman is visiting in Pittsburgh today on business.

J. B. Culler is attending the automobile show in the city today.

Phil Joseph left this morning for a short business trip to Cleveland.

Miss Onah Walsh was visiting in Pittsburgh yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. F. Motz is visiting for a few days with relatives in Dawson.

Mrs. H. R. Helmboldt has left for a week's visit with relatives at Sharon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Elrod of Braddock visited over Sunday with Mr. George James.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cragg of Philadelhia were visitors recently at the home of N. W. Schlup on McKee avenue

Hundreds of spring suits and coats at very low prices—Safier's. 1t

Mrs. Louis Evans of Schoonmaker avenue, who has been quite sick for a time with the grippe is slowly improving.

One of the most magnificent scenic sights known is a view of "Niagara Falls in Winter." At the Bijou tomorrow. 1t

Wooltex coats, suits and skirts for spring 1912, now ready for your inspection—Safier's. 1t

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Schaffer and daughter Eleanor of Uniontown left yesterday after a visit over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Schlup.

New spring styles in suits and coats are the prettiest we have ever shown.

"Niagara Falls in Winter" one of the most beautiful scenic pictures ever exhibited, at the Bijou tomorrow. 1t

Mr. and Mrs. George Kelly and son and Miss Maude James left yesterday after a short visit at the home of George James on Schoonmaker avenue.

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Miss Olive Ferguson of Knox avenue and Miss Ethel Wadsworth of Donner avenue, enjoyed Sunday, the guests of Mrs. Margaret Angus of Homestead.

See the fine line of Washington Birthday cards in Kirk's window.

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Yesterday Dan Ryan, the local pitcher who was a member of the Pittsburgh Steel and Catholic church teams, received a contract from the New Orleans team of the Southern League, where he had been exchanged from Canton in the O. and P. League. Ryan is not satisfied with the terms in his contract and unless another more liberal offer is made, it is said, he will remain here for the summer.

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News Notes of Society

Mrs. Martha Griffith of McKee avenue entertained on Saturday evening at her home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lenz of Charleroi, a bride and groom of the late winter season. The bride was Miss Emma Bess Haire and enjoyed a wide circle of friends in Charleroi as well as in Monessen. She is a granddaughter of Mrs. Sarah Stephens who also resides in Charleroi. A number of Monessen and Charleroi friends were in attendance at the Griffith home and the evening was most pleasingly and entertainingly spent, a delectable luncheon being served by the hostess just before the guests prepared for the home-going. The bride and groom were showered with all manner of good wishes for a most prosperous and happy journey along life's pathway.

At the Monongahela House in Pittsburgh last evening, Branch no. 84 of the National Association of Letter Carriers came together for their annual banquet and ball. There were many prominent speakers to address the assemblage, among whom were Hon. J. Frances Burke, Hon. W. H. Davis, Hon. Ambrose B. Reid, Enoch Rauh and U. S. Att'y. J. H. Jordan. A sumptuous menu had been provided and dancing continued until the wee hours of morning. Large delegations were present from many of the Valley towns, from here there were: Henry Byers, George Meiser, Julius Schmidt and Edgar Martz.

Mrs. John Scanlon entertained at "500" Monday evening at her home, No. 4, East McKee avenue, about twenty five guests being present and six tables were in use. The awards were as follows: First, Mrs. Stephen Helzlsouer; second, Mrs. Neil McGinley; draw, Miss Connie McGinley and guest prize, Mrs. Rice. A very appetizing lunch was served and the evening was one of decided enjoyment.

Monessen folk who enjoy a real first-class musical and literary treat should not forget the Bellfield Blind Quartette in St. Paul's Evanglical Lutheran chuch Eighth street, Friday evening. These people come most highly endorsed and a most pleasing entertainment is promised. Tickets are now on sale at Eddy's drug store. Don't miss it.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Preach of the Grand Hotel entertained about 12 friends of their daughter, Miss Doris at a house party the week end. The guests most of whom were from Pittsburgh, arrived Saturday afternoon and remained until Sunday evening.

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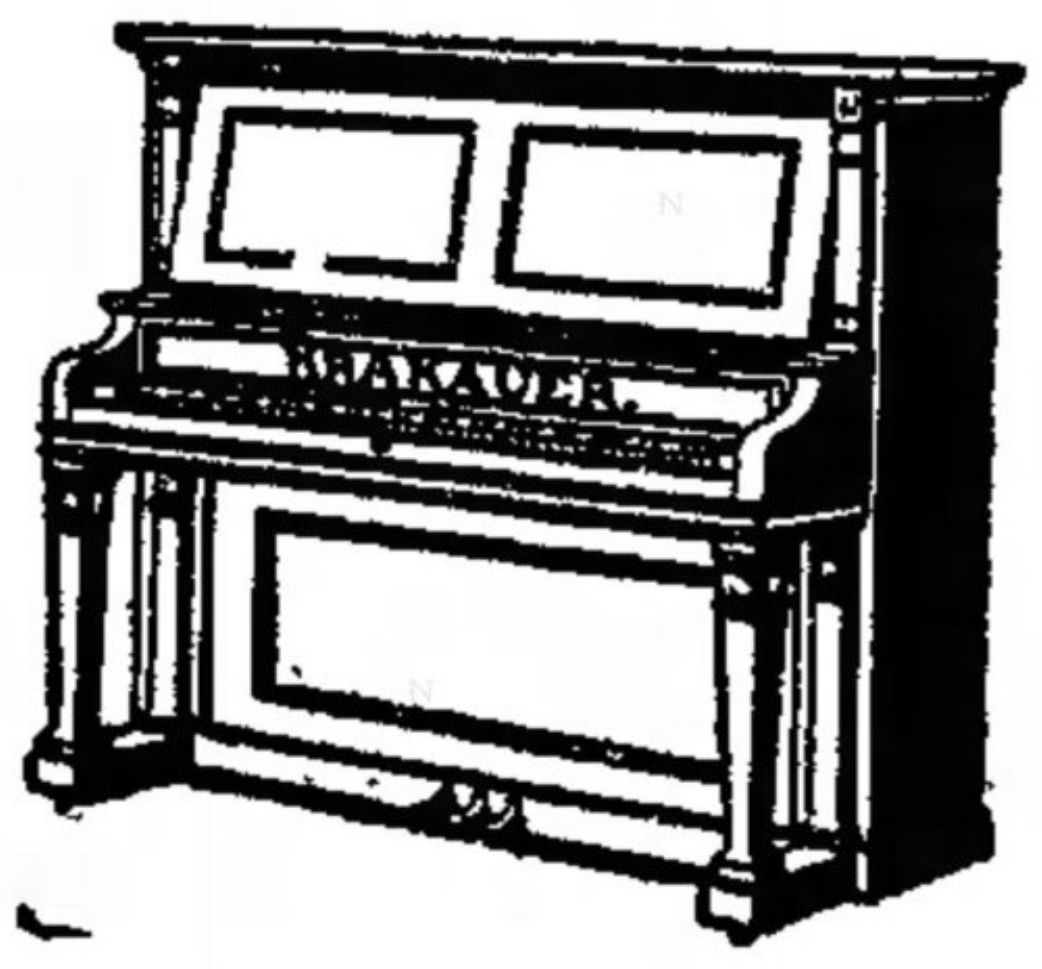

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INTERESTING ITEMS

L. J. Peck of Charleroi was a business caller in town this morning.

David Rosenberg of Fayette City was a business visitor in town this morning.

Donner avenue is undergoing a good cleaning up at the hands of the hands of the street department.

Mrs. J. Gordon Fisher of Hanover Pa., is visiting for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Homann of Park Way.

Mr. and Mrs. James Henderson of Greenville., left this moon after a short visit with their nephew, Lee H. Thomas.

J. A. Sheetz is a visitor in Pittsburgh this afternoon and will attend "The Bohemian Girl" at the Alvin theatre.

William White is a Pittsburgh visitor today and attending the matinee at the Nixon theater this afternoon.

Miss Helen Bartlick of New Kensington, who is a guest of her sister, Mrs. John Scanlon of No. 4 East McKee avenue, will likely reutrn home this week.

Miss Lena Entinger will leave Thursday for Cleveland, O., where she will resume her duties as milliner, after which she will go to Sheffield Pa.

Mrs. Rose of 318 Donner avenue was sent to the McKeesport hospital on an early train today, suffering with pneumonia.

Mrs. W. A. Harris of Reed avenue yesterday became a patient in the Monessen-Charleroi, hospital and was to be operated on today for appendicitis.

REVIVAL WORK AT MT. OLIVE CHURCH

The Mt Olive Baptist church of Monessen is conducting a very sucessful religious campaign.

Rev. A. J. Payne, pastor evargelist of Morgantown, W. Va., and Rev. C. H. McPhail of Lock 4, Pa., are assisting Rev. T. J. Johnson, the pastor.

Rev Payne is a pleasing speaker and an excellent singer. Crowds come out every night to hear him, and many remain to pray after the services.

Noon prayer meetings are held each day for those who cannot attend at night. At half past six in the evenings a young peoples' consecration meetings is held, and a work is being done in Monessen among this people. such as has never been equalled in the town's history. There is deep interest being manifest and many are forsaking their worldly ways of living

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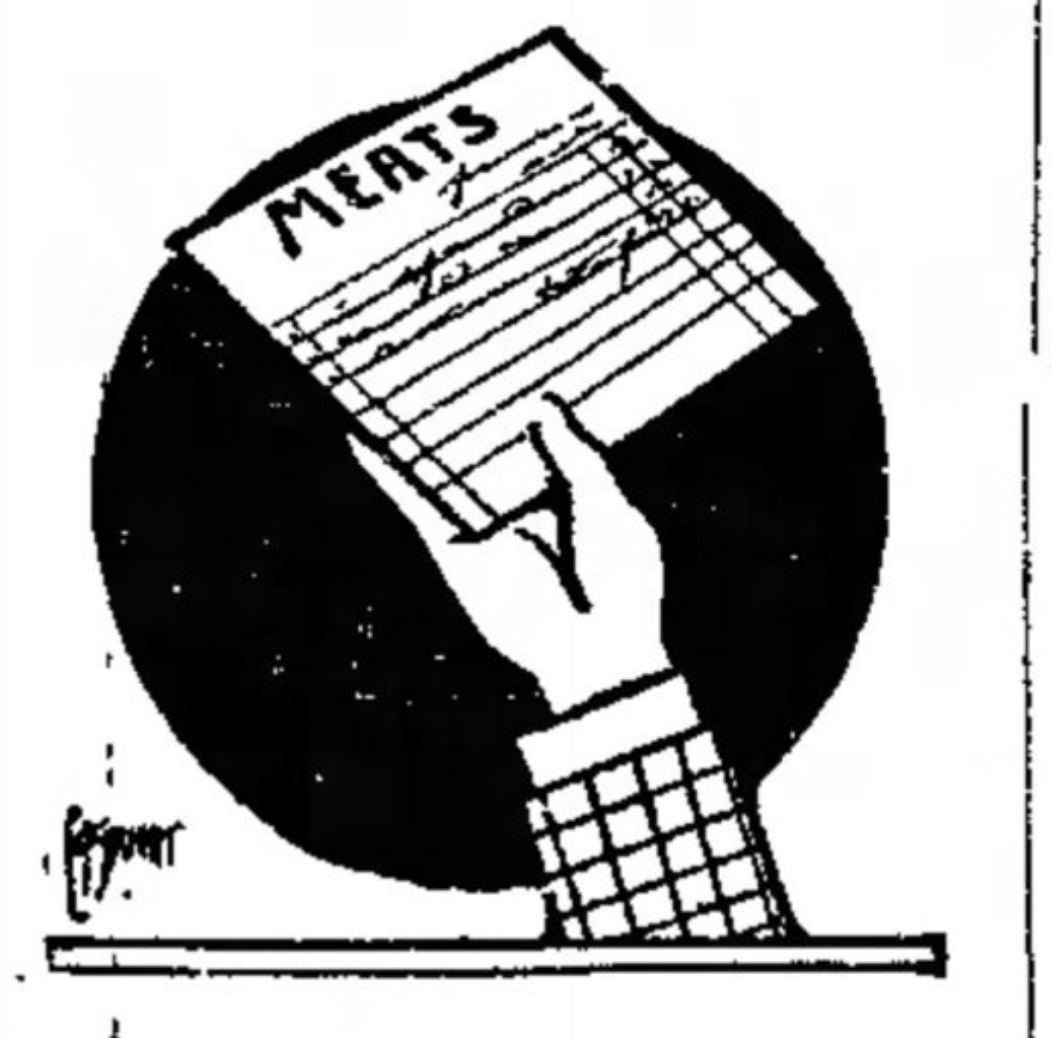

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